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JOHN P. CRONAN, United States District Judge:

On May 10, 2024, Plaintiffs Humberto Lozada and Oklahoma Firefighters Pension and Retirement System moved to certify classes pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 23. Dkt. 71. Then, on February 24, 2025, Plaintiffs filed an unopposed motion for preliminary approval of a class action settlement that would resolve the remaining claims pending in this action on a classwide basis. Dkt. 175.

Accordingly, Plaintiffs' motion for class certification, Dkt. 71, is denied without prejudice as moot. The Court will consider the propriety of class certification for settlement purposes in connection with the pending motion for preliminary approval of the proposed settlement and any final approval thereof.

The Court also reminds the parties, now that a settlement has been reached, that they have the option to consent to proceed before the assigned Magistrate Judge, the Honorable Gary Stein, for all purposes, including preliminary and final approval of the proposed settlement. If the parties wish to do so, they should file a fully executed consent form on or before April 9, 2025. The consent form is available at https://www.nysd.uscourts.gov/sites/default/files/2018-06/AO-3.pdf.

The Clerk of Court is respectfully directed to close Docket Number 71.

SO ORDERED.

Dated: March 26, 2025

New York, New York

JOHN P. CRONAN

United States District Judge